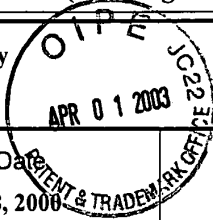


**COMBINED AMENDMENT & PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF  
TIME UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a) (Large Entity)**

Docket No. *entire*  
112690-004 *J. H. H.*

In Re Application Of: Stephen J. Whitney



Serial No.  
09/649,195

Filing Date  
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Examiner  
G. Laxton

Group Art Unit  
2836

Invention: **INTEGRATED OVERCURRENT AND OVERVOLTAGE APPARATUS FOR USE IN THE  
PROTECTION OF TELECOMMUNICATION CIRCUITS**

TO THE ASSISTANT COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS:

This is a combined amendment and petition under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) to extend the period for filing a response to the Office Action of December 16, 2002 in the above-identified application.  
*Date*

The requested extension is as follows (check time period desired):

☒ One month    ☐ Two months    ☐ Three months    ☐ Four months    ☐ Five months

from: March 16, 2003  
*Date*

until: April 16, 2003  
*Date*

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**CLAIMS AS AMENDED**

|  | CLAIMS REMAINING<br>AFTER AMENDMENT | HIGHEST #<br>PREV. PAID FOR | NUMBER EXTRA<br>CLAIMS PRESENT | RATE      | ADDITIONAL<br>FEE |
|--|-------------------------------------|-----------------------------|--------------------------------|-----------|-------------------|
| TOTAL CLAIMS   | 35 -                                | 35 =                        | 0                              | x \$18.00 | \$0.00            |
| INDEP. CLAIMS  | 3 -                                 | 3 =                         | 0                              | x \$84.00 | \$0.00            |
| FEE FOR AMENDMENT                                    |                                     |                             |                                |           | \$0.00            |
| FEE FOR EXTENSION OF TIME                            |                                     |                             |                                |           | \$110.00          |
| <b>TOTAL FEE FOR AMENDMENT AND EXTENSION OF TIME</b> |                                     |                             |                                |           | <b>\$110.00</b>   |

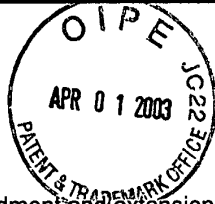
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The fee for the amendment and extension of time is to be paid as follows:

- ☒ A check in the amount of **\$110.00** for the amendment and extension of time is enclosed.
- ☐ Please charge Deposit Account No. \_\_\_\_\_ in the amount of **\$110.00**  
A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.
- ☒ The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge payment of the following fees associated with this communication or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. **02-1818**  
A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.
- ☒ Any additional filing fees required under 37 C.F.R. 1.16.
- ☒ Any patent application processing fees under 37 CFR 1.17.
- ☒ If an additional extension of time is required, please consider this a petition therefor and charge any additional fees which may be required to Deposit Account No. **02-1818** A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.


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I certify that this document and fee is being deposited on 3/27/03 with the U.S.-Postal Service as first class mail under 37 C.F.R. 1.8 and is addressed to the Assistant Commissioner for Patents, Washington, D.C. 20231.

  
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